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PRODUCT REVIEW—CHLORAPREP®

Nursing and Patient Care Services' Standard of Practice for Vascular Access Device and Venipuncture has been changed:

- ✓ A BI-DIRECTIONAL SCRUB IS DONE ON ALL INJECTION SITES.
- ✓ ALCOHOL SKIN PREP IS ACCEPTABLE FOR PERIPHERAL PHLEBOTOMY PROCEDURES AND FOR PERIPHERAL IV INSERTIONS.
- ✓ CHLORAPREP® (CHLORHEXIDINE GLUCONATE 2% AND ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL 70%) SKIN PREP IS TO BE USED FOR CENTRAL LINE INSERTIONS, CENTRAL LINE DRESSING CHANGES, AND FOR BLOOD CULTURE PROCEDURES.
- ✓ CENTRAL LINE DRESSINGS ARE TO BE CHANGED EVERY <u>SEVEN</u> DAYS UNLESS A CHANGE IN THE SITE IS ASSESSED.

Chloraprep One-Step 1.5 ml Frepp Applicator Patient skin prep for peripheral blood culture. Single use.

<u>Unit of Issue:</u> Each <u>Item ID#:</u> 02708 <u>How to find in MIS:</u> P—Prep, Frepp

"The antiseptic formulation provides rapid and persistent antimicrobial activity on the dry skin areas. Proper skin prepping is key to accurate blood culture results."



Chloraprep 10.5 ml Applicator

Patient skin prep. Single use.

<u>Unit of issue:</u> Each <u>Item ID#:</u> 02709 <u>How to find in MIS:</u> C—Chloraprep 10.5

"No bottles to open. No swabs to drip. No mess. No stain. This easy-to-use ergonomically designed applicator is angled like a pen for smooth one-step aseptic preparation of the patient's skin. The maximum treatment area for one applicator is approximately 12" by 12"."



Chloraprep 3.5 ml Applicator

Patient skin prep. Single use.

<u>Unit of issue:</u> Each <u>Item ID#:</u> 02599 <u>How to find in MIS:</u> C—Chloraprep 3.5

"No bottles to open. No swabs to drip. No mess. No stain. This easy-to-use ergonomically designed applicator is angled like a pen for smooth one-step aseptic preparation of the patient's skin. The maximum treatment area for one applicator is approximately 4" by 5"."

